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SUBJECT: CHILEAN ARMS REQUEST

REF: (A) SANTIAGO 1763, (B) STATE 060839 (NOTAL)

(C) STATE 226078, NOV. 15, 1973(NOTAL)

1. THE FOLLOWING IS A COMPILATION OF PENDING GOC REQUESTS
FOR MAJOR MILITARY ITEMS.

A. ARMY EQUIPMENT

ITEM	DATE REQUESTED	APPROXIMATE
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1. M-60 TANKS (15)	AUG. 1973 (NOTE)	DOLS. 7.5 M
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2. VEHICLE MOUNTED RE-	APRIL 1973 (NOTE)	DOLS. 2.4 M
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COILLESS RIFLES (15);

ARMORED MORTAR

CARRIERS (10); AND

ARMORED PERSONNEL

CARRIERS (10)

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3. TOW ANTI-TANK MISSILES JAN 1974 (NOTE) DOLS. 15.0 M

18 LAUNCHERS 540 MISSILES,
TRAINING, MOUNTS, ETC.

4. AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM JAN. 1974 DOLS. 186.4 M

INCLUDING: 7 SHORT (SANTIAGO A-22)

RANGE MISSILE BATTERIES,

3 MEDIUM RANGE MISSILE

BATTERIES, 7 ANTI-

ITEM DATE REQUESTED APPROXIMATE COST

AIRCRAFT CANNON

BATTERIES; 2 FIXED

WARNING RADAR, 4

MOBILE WARNING RADAR,

4 MOBILE COMMAND AND

CONTROL RADAR.

5. RIOT CONTROL EQUIP- JUNE 1973 (NOTE) DOLS. 5.0 M

MENT INCLUDING BOTH

LETHAL AND NON-

LETHAL ITEMS.

6. COUNTERINSURGENCY NOV. 1973 (NOTE) DOLS. 12.0 M

EQUIPMENT (ORIGINAL

REQUEST INCLUDED BOTH

LETHAL AND NON-LETHAL

ITEMS). REQUEST WITH-

DRAWN ON DEC. 18 AND

NEW REQUEST FOR NON-

LETHAL ITEMS SUBMITTED AND APPROVED (ITEM 3 PARA 2).

7. LAW WEAPONS (2,000), MARCH 1974 (NOTE) UNK

ANTI-TANK (100,000),

AND ANTI-PERSONAL

MINES (300,000).

B. AIR FORCE

8. F-5E AIRCRAFT (18) AUG. 1973 (NOTE) DOLS. 53 M

MARCH 1974 (NOTE)

9. A-7D AIRCRAFT (18) JAN. 1974 DOLS. 60 M

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10. T-41A AIRCRAFT (16) MARCH 1974 (NOTE) UNK

C. NAVY

11. GUPPY II CLASS AUGUST 1973

SUBMARINE (NOT

AVAILABLE).

12. ONE SUMNERCLASS MARCH 1974
DESTROYER HULL

13. MISCELLANEOUS NAVY MARCH 1974 UNK
EQUIPMENT INCLUDING
TORPEDO IGNITERS,
GRENADES, AMMUNITION,
FUZES, TEST SETS, ETC.
GOC HAS REQUESTED TO USE FMS CREDIT FOR ACQUISITION OF
ITEMS 1 - 7, AND 9. WE ASSUME OTHER ITEMS WILL BE PURCHAS-
ED ON A FMS CASH OR COMMERCIAL BASIS.

2. DEPARTMENT HAS APPROVED THE FOLLOWING GOC ARMS REQUESTS:

ITEM	DATE APPROVED
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1. LVT P-5S (28)	OCTOBER 26, 1973
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2. AN/GRC 106A TYPE	JANUARY 22, 1974
USC 2 RADIO EQUIPMENT (60)	

3. P AND A FOR TRUCKS	JANUARY 8, 1974
TRAILERS, COMPASSES,	
FLASH LIGHTS, MEDICAL	
EQUIPMENT, ETC.	

4. INSPECTION AND SELE-	JANUARY 22, 1974
CTION OF M-48 TANK	
CHASSIS BY NAPCO	
INDUSTRIES	

5. CLOTHING MATERIAL-	MARCH 18, 1974
COLD WEATHER COATS,	
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CAPES, COAT LINERS, ETC.

6. ONE FLETCHER CLASS	MARCH 13, 1974
DESTROYER HULL.	

7. 2 AN/SQJ 40-41 SONARS	SEPT.4, 1973
AND SIX MK-32 TORPEDO	
TUBES.	

8. ONE SET PLANS AND	JANUARY 7, 1974
TECH. SPECIFICATIONS	
FOR ARS-38 TOWBOAT.	

9. SPARES PARTS AND	JANUARY 29, 1974
AMMUNITION FOR TWO	

SUMNER CLASS DESTROYERS

10. 9 T-41 AND 8 T-37 JANUARY 7, 1974
TRAINING AIRCRAFT.

11. AIRCRAFT ACCESSORIES MARCH 11, 1974
FOR A-37S.

12. HELICOPTER ROCKET APRIL 9, 1974
AND RELATED
ACCESSORIES (NOTE: MINIGUN DENIED)

13. ENGLISH LANGUAGE MARCH 13, 1974
FOR PILOT TRAINEES (80 OFFICERS).

14. SALE BY SPAIN OF NOVEMBER 15, 1973
106MM RECOILESS
RIFLES (REF C).

15. AND 16. SINCE THIS MESSAGE WAS TYPED DEPARTMENT HAS
APPROVED ITEMS 10 AND 13, PARA 1. KISSINGER

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